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DETAILED ACTION

The reply filed on 21 September 2004 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

For the portion with the “new” specification to be entered (assuming no new matter), Applicant is required to show the changes to the specification by showing both the “old” (the “old” is considered what was originally filed with the application - pages 1 and 2) and “new” text of the specification simultaneously (see generally MPEP 714 II B). For the situation here, it may be easiest for Applicant to start on page 1 and write the “old” specification (not the claims). Then strike through (for example, ~~This is a sample.~~) the complete text of the “old” specification. This can be done by hand. Then at the end of the “old” struck text start the “new” text of the specification.

For the claims, the status of all claims must be shown. The original application, as filed, was considered to have one claim (the text on page 3 of the original specification) (see generally MPEP 714 II C). In your amendment, list this language as claim 1 and canceled and then any new claims starting as claim 2. Example,

1. (Canceled) I have invented a . . . single stone.
2. (New) new claim language here
3. (New) new claim language here

For the drawings, submit the new drawings on a sheet, as you have done, but at the top of the sheet type - Replacement Drawings - (see generally MPEP 714 II D).

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. **EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).**

Conclusion

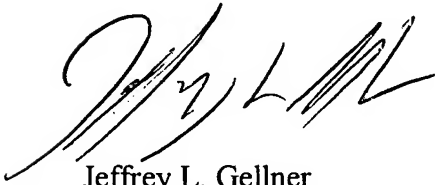
Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the Examiner should be directed to Jeffrey L. Gellner whose phone number is 703.305.0053. The Examiner can normally be reached Monday through Thursday from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm. The Examiner can also be reached on alternate Fridays.

If attempts to reach the Examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the Examiner's Supervisor, Peter Poon, can be reached at 703.308.2574. The official fax telephone number for the Technology Center where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703.872.9306.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. L. Gellner', with a stylized, flowing script.

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